

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application (material to be inserted is in **bold and underline**, material to be deleted is in ~~strikeout~~):

Listing of Claims:

1-5. (Cancelled)

6-20. (Withdrawn).

21-26. (Cancelled)

27. (New) A kit for detecting and differentiating an enterovirus in a sample, comprising at least one pair of oligonucleotide primers for nucleic acid amplification, wherein a first primer of said pair consists of a sequence of any of:

SEQ ID NO: 1: TTGTRCGCCTGTTTTA,

SEQ ID NO: 2: CAAGCACTTCTGTHHCCCCGG,

SEQ ID NO: 3: TACTTCGAGAARCCYAGTA,

SEQ ID NO: 4: AAGAGYCTATTGAGCTA, or

SEQ ID NO: 5: GGITGGTRSTGGAARTTICC, or a degenerate sequence of SEQ ID No: 5;
and

a second primer of said pair consists of a sequence of any of:

SEQ ID NO: 6: CACYGGATGGCCAATCCAA,

SEQ ID NO: 7: ATTGTCACCATAAGCAGCCA, or

SEQ ID NO: 8: ARRTTIATCCAYTGRTGIGG, or a degenerate sequence of SEQ ID No: 8,

provided that the second primer consists of the sequence of SEQ ID NO: 8 or a degenerate

sequence thereof when the first primer consists of the sequence of SEQ ID NO: 5 or a

degenerate sequence of SEQ ID NO: 5; and

at least one synthetic nucleotide sequence fixed on a solid substrate for nucleic acid

hybridization with nucleic acids obtained from the amplification, wherein the synthetic

nucleotide comprises any sequence selected from the group consisting of:

SEQ ID NO: 9: TCCTCCGGCCCCTGAATGCGGCTAATC,

SEQ ID NO: 10: TGTCGTAACGSGCAASTCYGYRGCGGAACCGAC,

SEQ ID NO: 11: TACTTTGGGTGTCCGTGTTTCHTTTTAT,

SEQ ID NO: 12: CTTATAAGCAGACTCAACCCGGTGCTGATG,

SEQ ID NO: 13: TGGCATTCCAATATCACAATTAACAGTG,

SEQ ID NO: 14: CTCGGCACTATCGCAGGAGGGACCGGGAAT and

SEQ ID NO: 15: CCTACGCCACTACACAGCCTGGTCAGGTTG, and a degenerate

sequence of any of SEQ ID Nos.: 12 15.

28. (New) A kit for detecting and differentiating an enterovirus in a sample, comprising at least one synthetic nucleotide sequence fixed on a solid substrate for nucleic acid hybridization with nucleic acids in the sample, wherein the synthetic nucleotide sequences consists of any sequence selected from the group consisting of

SEQ ID NO: 9: TCCTCCGGCCCCCTGAATGCGGCTAATC,
SEQ ID NO: 10: TGTCGTAACGSGCAASTCYGYRGCGGAACCGAC,
SEQ ID NO: 11: TACTTTGGGTGTCCGTGTTTCHTTTTAT,
SEQ ID NO: 12: CTTATAAGCAGACTCAACCCGGTGCTGATG,
SEQ ID NO: 13: TGGCATTCCAATATCACAATTAACAGTG,
SEQ ID NO: 14: CTCGGCACTATCGCAGGAGGGACCGGGAAT and
SEQ ID NO: 15: CCTACGCCACTACACAGCCTGGTCAGGTTG, and a degenerate
sequence of any of SEQ ID Nos.: 12 -15.